

FORM PTO-1390 REV. 2/01T U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE		CUSTOMER NO. 22,852 ATTORNEY'S DOCKET NUMBER 03447.0013
TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371		U.S. APPLICATION NO. (If known, see 37CFR1.5) 10/533924
INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO.	INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE	PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED
PCT/IB2003/005569	November 5, 2003	November 5, 2002
TITLE OF INVENTION DC-SIGN BLOCKERS AND THEIR USE FOR PREVENTING OR TREATING VIRAL INFECTIONS		
APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US Ali AMARA, Fernando ARENZANA-SEISDEDOS, Philippe DESPRES, and Jean-Louis VIRELIZIER		
Applicant(s) herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:		
1.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C 371.	
2.	<input type="checkbox"/> This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.	
3.	<input type="checkbox"/> This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.	
4.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The US has been elected by the expiration of 19 months from the priority date (Article 31).	
5.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(2)). a. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau). b. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> has been communicated by the International Bureau. c. <input type="checkbox"/> is not required, as the application was filed with the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).	
6.	<input type="checkbox"/> An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(2)). a. <input type="checkbox"/> is attached hereto. b. <input type="checkbox"/> has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154 (d)(4).	
7.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(3)). a. <input type="checkbox"/> are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau). b. <input type="checkbox"/> have been communicated by the International Bureau. c. <input type="checkbox"/> have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired. d. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> have not been made and will not be made.	
8.	<input type="checkbox"/> An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(3)).	
9.	<input type="checkbox"/> An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(4)).	
10.	<input type="checkbox"/> An English language translation of the annexes of the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(5)).	
Items 11 to 20 below concern document(s) or information included:		
11.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98	
12.	<input type="checkbox"/> An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.	
13.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A FIRST preliminary amendment.	
14.	<input type="checkbox"/> A SECOND or SUBSEQUENT preliminary amendment.	
15.	<input type="checkbox"/> A Substitute specification.	
16.	<input type="checkbox"/> A change of power of attorney and/or address letter.	
17.	<input type="checkbox"/> A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 35 U.S.C. 1.821-1.825.	
18.	<input type="checkbox"/> A second copy of the published international application under 35 U.S.C. 154 (d)(4).	
19.	<input type="checkbox"/> A second copy of the English language translation of the international application 35 U.S.C. 154 (d)(4).	
20.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other items or information: a. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Copy of cover page of International Publication No. WO 2004/041299 A1 b. <input type="checkbox"/> Copy of Notification of Missing Requirements. c. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Copy of Form PCT/RO/134 (Easy) Indications Relating to Deposited Microorganisms for Accession No. CNCMI-2950 (2 sheets)	

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21. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The following fees are submitted:				
BASIC NATIONAL FEE (37 CFR 1.492 (a) (1) - (5)): \$300.00				
National Stage Search Fee.....\$500.00				
National Stage Examination Fee.....\$200.00				
ENTER APPROPRIATE BASIC FEE AMOUNT = \$1000.00				
<input type="checkbox"/> Additional fee for specification and drawings filed in paper over 100 sheets (excluding sequence listing or computer program listing filed in an electronic medium). The fee is \$250 for each additional 50 sheets of paper or fraction thereof.				
Total Sheets	Extra Sheets	Number of additional 50 or fraction thereof (rounded up to a whole number)		Rate
62- 100 =	/50=			x 250.00
Surcharge of \$130.00 for furnishing the oath or declaration later than months from the earliest claimed priority date (37 CFR 1.492 (e)).			<input type="checkbox"/> 20 <input type="checkbox"/> 30	\$
CLAIMS	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA	RATE	
Total Claims	71	- 20 =	51	x \$50.00
Independent Claims	13	-3 =	10	x \$200.00
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM(S) (if applicable)			+\$360.00	
TOTAL OF THE ABOVE CALCULATIONS = \$5550.00				
<input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. The fees indicated above are reduced by ½.				
SUBTOTAL = \$5550.00				
Processing fee of \$130.00 for furnishing the English translation later than months from the earliest priority date (37 CFR 1.492(f)).				
TOTAL NATIONAL FEE = \$5550.00				
Fee for recording the enclosed assignment (37 CFR 1.21 (h)). The assignment must be accompanied by an appropriate cover sheet (37 CFR 3.28, 3.31). \$40.00 per property.				
TOTAL FEES ENCLOSED = \$5550.00				
Amount to be refunded:				
charged:				
a. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of <u>\$5550.00</u> to cover the above fees is enclosed.				
b. <input type="checkbox"/> Please charge my Deposit Account No. _____ in the amount of \$ _____ to cover the above fees. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.				
c. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. <u>06-0916</u> . A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.				
d. <input type="checkbox"/> Fees are to be charged to a credit card. WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.				
NOTE: Where an appropriate time limit under 37 CFR 1.494 or 1.495 has not been met, a petition to revive (37 CFR 1.137 (a) or (b)) must be filed and granted to restore the application to pending status.				
SEND ALL CORRESPONDENCE TO:				
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